

12-29-03

1637

Image

## AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Docket No.  
CRW-001USApplication No.  
09/700462-Conf. #5936Filing Date  
May 8, 2001Examiner  
J. RileyArt Unit  
1637

Applicant(s): Edwin Mellor Southern et al.

Invention: LIBRARIES OF OLIGOMERS LABELED WITH DIFFERENT TAGS

## TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

The fee has been calculated and is transmitted as shown below.

## CLAIMS AS AMENDED

	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest Number Previously Paid	Number Extra Claims Present	Rate	
Total Claims	22	- 74 =		x	0.00
Independent Claims	7	- 13 =		x	0.00
Multiple Dependent Claims (check if applicable) <input type="checkbox"/>					
Other fee (please specify):					
<b>TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT:</b>					0.00

 Large Entity Small Entity No additional fee is required for this amendment. Please charge Deposit Account No. \_\_\_\_\_ in the amount of \$ \_\_\_\_\_. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed. A check in the amount of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ to cover the filing fee is enclosed. Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached. The Director is hereby authorized to charge and credit Deposit Account No. 12-0080 as described below. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed. Credit any overpayment. Charge any additional filing or application processing fees required under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17.

Merideth C. Arnold

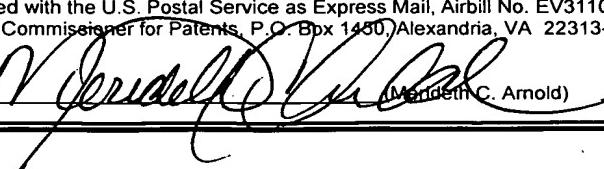
Attorney Reg. No.: 52,568

Dated: December 23, 2003

LAHIVE & COCKFIELD, LLP  
 28 State Street  
 Boston, Massachusetts 02109  
 (617) 227-7400

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the U.S. Postal Service as Express Mail, Airbill No. EV311018632US, in an envelope addressed to: MS Non-Fee Amendment, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on the date shown below.

Dated: December 23, 2003

Signature: 

(Merideth C. Arnold)

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the U.S. Postal Service as Express Mail, Airbill No. EV311018632US, in an envelope addressed to: MS Non-Fee Amendment, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on the date shown below.

Dated: December 23, 2003 Signature:

(Merideth C. Arnold)

Docket No.: CRW-001US  
(PATENT)

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Patent Application of:  
Edwin Mellor Southern *et al.*

Application No.: 09/700462

Art Unit: 1637

Filed: May 8, 2001

Examiner: J. Riley

For: LIBRARIES OF OLIGOMERS LABELED  
WITH DIFFERENT TAGS

**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

MS Non-Fee Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

In response to the Official Communication dated November 24, 2003, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 7 of this paper.